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| <b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>                   |                             | Case No. 5935/57               |
| Serial No.<br>09/853,916                    | Filing Date<br>May 11, 2001 | Examiner<br>Matthew F. Desanto |
| Inventor(s)<br>David G. Quinn               |                             | Group Art Unit<br>3763         |
| Title of Invention<br>BLOOD VESSEL CATHETER |                             |                                |

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (in Duplicate); Amendment; Letter to the Official Draftsperson; 1 Sheet of Formal Drawings in Red Ink; and Return Postcard.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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|   | Claims Remaining After Amendment |       | Highest No. Previously Paid For | Present Extra |
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| Total                                     | 16                               | Minus | 16                              | 0             |
| Indep.                                    | 3                                | Minus | 3                               | 0             |
| First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim |                                  |       |                                 |               |

| Small Entity    |           |
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| Rate            | Add'l Fee |
| x \$9 =         |           |
| x 42 =          |           |
| + \$140 =       |           |
| Total add'l fee | \$        |

| Other Than Small Entity |           |
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| Rate                    | Add'l Fee |
| x \$18 =                |           |
| x \$84 =                |           |
| + \$280 =               |           |
| Total add'l fee         | \$        |

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted

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Case No. 5935/57

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

David G. Quinn

Serial No: 09/853,916

Examiner: Matthew F. Desanto

Filed: May 11, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3763

For: BLOOD VESSEL CATHETER

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated August 14, 2002 for a period of one month(s).

☒ Applicant:

☒ claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

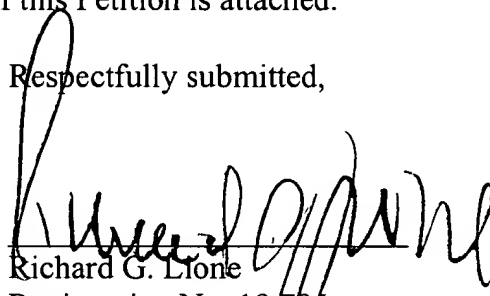
☐ is other than small entity

|                                     | <u>Extension<br/>Months</u> | <u>Other Than<br/>Small Entity</u> | <u>Small Entity</u> |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | One Month                   | \$110.00                           | \$55.00             |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Two Months                  | \$400.00                           | \$200.00            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Three Months                | \$920.00                           | \$460.00            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Four Months                 | \$1,440.00                         | \$720.00            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Five Months                 | \$1,960.00                         | \$980.00            |

**Fee Payment**

- ☐ Attached is a check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Petition fee.
- ☒ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: Dec. 16, 2002
  
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